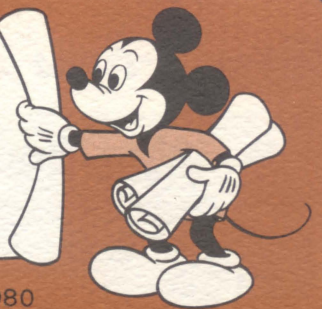


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## Lending A Helping Hand

Last week, our United Way Division Representatives had an opportunity to see just one of the ways our contributions can help the community. They visited the Rancho del Valle Center of the Crippled Children's Society, a voluntary agency that provides year-round programs and recreation to disabled residents of the San Fernando Valley, regardless of age, creed, sex or race.

When your Division Rep brings your pledge card by during the campaign, please remember to give the United Way.



## WEDlines.....

...Arnold Lindberg announced that Warehouse Manager **KEITH BUNCH** has assumed the responsibilities of MAPO Warehousing. Reporting directly as Warehouse Supervisor will be **DAVE MCCRORY**, who will have the day-to-day responsibilities for MAPO Warehousing.

...The **IMAGINEER'S WORKSHOP** will be meeting again this week at noon on Wednesday in the EPCOT Center Presentation Area.

...Now that the "A

**BETTER WAY" PROGRAM** drop-boxes have been installed, your suggestions and ideas have a way to get to the right persons. Please take advantage of this new communications device.

...The day of our next **EMPLOYEE FORUM** has been changed to this Wednesday, October 22. **FRANK STANEK**, the Vice President of Tokyo Disneyland Administration, will be on hand in the EPCOT Center Presentation Area from 5-7 p.m. to answer your questions about the progress and future of the Tokyo Disneyland project.



**DISABLED PERSONS AT CRIPPLED CHILDREN'S Society** showed how able they can be to Stuart Niessen (top left), Annette Tedrow and Sandy Harris (bottom left) and Rudy Pena (above). Other Division Reps on hand were Sandy Huskins, Nancy Bayard, Randy Printz, Loretta Hoffman, Judy Gordon, Vera Rowe and Kit Gordon.



## Introductions Are In Order



Please join us in welcoming the following new members of the WED & MAPO team: (front, left to right) NICOLE ARMITAGE, Design; DAVE HILL, Technical Publications; ERNIE BENZOR, Mechanical Engineering; JOHN BRACKEMYRE, Lighting/Special Effects; SHERRY JOHNSON, MAPO Special Services; DICK RICE, Electronic Engineering; KING THOMAS, Lab Tech; GINA CARR, Electrical Manufacturing; (rear, left to right) DENNIS HOLTMANN, Accounting Clerk; CHUCK HIGSON, Lighting/Special Effects; MIKE TEEL, WED Warehouse; STU CLARK, Production Services; VON JOHNSON, Communications; CHIP DEXTER, Facilities Maintenance.



WED'S WILD WOMEN charmed Las Vegas several weeks ago on an MMRC-sponsored trip. Caught for a moment in front of Circus Circus are (from left) Marilyn Chieffo, Sandy Huskins, Irene Feldman, Mary Watson and Barbara Krystich. All agree the weekend excursion was a success (especially Marilyn's \$600 winnings).

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## Tokyo Meets The World

Efforts are now escalating for the production of a major new show at Tokyo Disneyland, called "Meet the World." While most attractions at TDL will be modeled after existing counterparts at Disneyland and Walt Disney World, "Meet the World" is a totally new show developed specifically for Tokyo, along with Japan 200<sup>0</sup> Theatre and Pinocchio's Daring Journey.

This new show will deal with the study of Japan's encounters with the rest of the world and reflects the intrinsic Japanese values of patriotism and nationalism. "Meet the World" will be presented in a carousel theatre similar to "America Sings" and "The Carousel of Progress" with the important innovation that the audience will face the outside of the building, providing a much larger stage area with which our Imagineers can work.

The concept is currently being refined, with finalization due by the end of the year. However, sculpting will begin by the end of this month. The show will make extensive use of Audio Animatronic figures, animated set pieces and film.

The new attraction's sponsor is Matsushita Electric Industrial Company, known for its Panasonic, Technics and National brands.

As with many of the shows for TDL, production responsibilities will be shared between WED & MAPO and the Oriental Land Company.

Major efforts for this project on behalf of WED & MAPO are being performed by Tim Bunner, Bill Fleming, Fred Hope and Norm Lenzer.

## Sperry Univac Joins EPCOT

Just last month, Walt Disney Productions and Sperry Univac, a division of Sperry Corporation, announced that a joint agreement had been reached for Sperry Univac to become a major participant in EPCOT Center.

The Sperry Univac participation will center around "EPCOT Computer Central" located in the Communi-

core of Future World. Guests will be treated to a dramatic presentation about the role computers play throughout Walt Disney World. Additionally, Sperry Univac will demonstrate the application of products and technology that will reinforce their worldwide commitment as "The Computer People Who Listen."



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